

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO**

<b>UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,</b>	)	<b>CASE NO. 4:09CR183</b>
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<b>PLAINTIFF</b>	)	<b>JUDGE PETER C. ECONOMUS</b>
	)	
<b>v.</b>	)	
	)	
<b>BRYAN K. FERGUSON,</b>	)	<b>ORDER</b>
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	)	
<b>DEFENDANT</b>	)	

This matter is before the Court upon Magistrate Judge George J. Limbert's Report and Recommendation that the Court ACCEPT Defendant Bryan K. Ferguson's ("Defendant") plea of guilty and enter a finding of guilty against Defendant. (Dkt. # 29).

On April 15, 2009, the government filed an indictment against Bryan Ferguson (Dkt. #7). On October 5, 2009, this Court issued an order assigning this case to Magistrate Judge Limbert for the purpose of receiving Defendant's guilty plea. (Dkt. # 27).

On October 5, 2009, a hearing was held in which the Defendant entered a plea of guilty to Count 2, Possession of Child Pornography, in violation of 18 U.S.C. § 2252(A)(a)(5)(B), before the Magistrate Judge. Magistrate Judge Limbert received the Defendant's guilty plea and issued a Report and Recommendation ("R&R") recommending that this Court accept the plea and enter a finding of guilty (Dkt. # 29).

Neither party objected to the Magistrate Judge's R&R in the ten days after it was issued.

On *de novo* review of the record, the Magistrate Judge's R&R is adopted. The Defendant was found to be competent to enter a plea. The Defendant understood his constitutional rights. He is aware of the consequences of entering a plea. There is an adequate factual basis for the plea. The Court finds that the plea was entered knowingly, intelligently, and voluntarily. The Defendant's plea of guilty is approved.

Therefore, the Defendant is adjudged guilty of Count 2 in violation of 18 U.S.C. § 2252(A)(a)(5)(B). The sentencing will be held on January 6, 2010 at 10:00 a.m.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

/s/ Peter C. Economus - October 21, 2009  
**PETER C. ECONOMUS**  
**UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE**